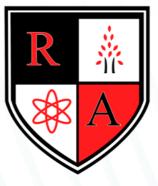
## SCHOOL PROSPECTUS





## REDWOOD ACADEMY

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# WHY ?

#### NURTURING LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

Our learners look forward to attending school, where attaining an education can also be enjoyable.

#### **DYNAMIC TEAM**

The school educators and staff are dedicated to helping our learners achieve and exceed their individual goals.

#### **TECHNOLOGY ENABLED LEARNING**

Traditional learning is enhanced with selective use of the latest technology to keep learners engaged.

#### **EMBRACING INDIVIDUALITY**

We acknowledge and encourage the unique attributes of each learner within a diverse environment.

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## ntermediate Phase GRADES 4 TO 6

#### OUR METHODOLOGY

The Redwood Academy intermediate phase offers a dynamic, multi-cultural environment. Small classes allow for individual attention as well as effective group work value and our approach plays a key role in assisting the social, emotional, and academic wellbeing of every learner. We know each child and your child will never be lost in a large school environment and never fall between the cracks.

Working within a technology enhanced environment, the focus is on understanding the learner's potential and encouraging both logical and creative thought processes depending on the learner's potential.

Learners are encouraged to stay curious and work towards independent problem solving and our curriculum is taught in a hands-on and practical manner. In this way, learners are equipped with the skills they need for successful ongoing, lifelong learning, making Redwood Academy a school of choice.



#### **REDWOOD ACADEMY**

Redwood Academy campus is nestled in the heart of Ormonde.

The classrooms, studios, laboratories and centers all form part of our school's beautiful architecture which incorporates the necessary sporting facilities.



#### **BEGINNING GRADE 4**

The intermediate phase can be daunting for grade 4 learners as this is the first year in which they come into contact with different teachers for each subject. We are well aware of this and teachers take care to make sure learners are eased into the new learning process.







#### **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Other extra-curriculars offered:

- Madressa (Optional for Muslim Learners)
- Mixed Martial Arts
- Little Kickers
- Aila Stretch and Restore (Similar to Yoga)

### SPORTS

The following sports are offered:

- Tennis
- Soccer
- Netball
- Cricket
- Table Tennis

#### **TECHNOLOGY & CODING**

Teachers use projectors and smart boards or interactive screens for class lessons. Coding classes using the code.org platform are offered to learners. Learners must bring along an iPad or Tablet PC (such as Samsung Galaxy) for these activities. Learners follow an excellent Robotics program called Marty. Virtual Reality (VR) Goggles are used to enhance the learning process. We also focus on general Computer Literacy.

#### SCHOOL TIMES

- Monday to Thursday: 8:00am 1:30pm
- Friday: 8:00am 11:45am

#### FEE STRUCTURE FOR 2025

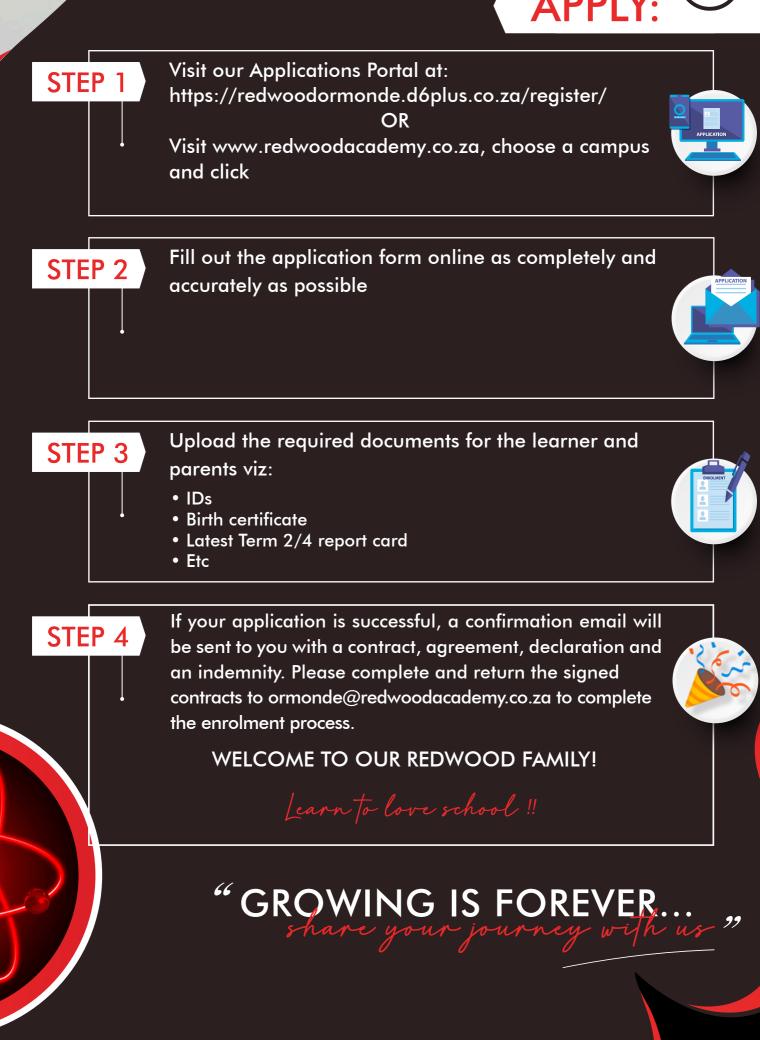
- Monthly fee: R 4400 per month payable over 12 months.
- Registration fee: R 2400 is payable on registration. Thereafter, an annual re-registration fee of R 1800 per annum is payable (subject to inflation).
- After-care: R 800 per month payable over 12 months.













## The Redwood Tree

My father once told me a story about an old Redwood tree -How she stood tall and proud -Her sprawling limbs clothed in emerald green. With a smile. he described how she was a mere sapling sheltered by her family and basking in the safety of the warm, dappled light. But as this tree grew taller, She found herself at the mercy of the cruel wind and the vicious rain. Together, they tore relentlessly at her pretty boughs, Until she felt as though her heart would splinter.

After a long, thoughtful pause, my father turned to me and said: "One day, the same may happen to you, and when that day comes – remember the Redwood tree. Do not worry about the cold wind and the vicious rain –

do as that tree did and just keep growing"

- - Lang Leav (adapted)



